GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA

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Share of Indian Textile Industry
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) the share of Indian textile industry in global textile manufacturing;

(b) whether the Indian textile industry is lagging behind in textile manufacturing in comparison to other countries of the world;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor along with the reaction of the Government thereto; and

(d) the corrective steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES
(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (d): The quantum of textile items manufactured in India during last two years are as under:-

Production of Major Textile Items (India)

Items	Unit	2013-14	2014-15
Man-made fibre	Mn. Kg.	1307	1344
spun yarn	Mn. Kg.	5309	5488
Man made filament yarn	Mn. Kg.	1293	1248
Fabrics (including Khadi, wool & silk)	Mn. Sq. mtr	63500	65276

As the quantum of textile manufactured in the world is not available and hence the exact share of India in the textile manufacturing cannot be quantified. Government has introduced schemes like Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme (TUFS), Schemes for the development of the Power-loom Sector, Schemes for Technical textiles Scheme for Integrated Textile Parks (SITP), Integrated Skill Development Scheme etc to modernize textile industry, increase production and global competitiveness.

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